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A compound having the general structure:

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$$R_1$$
 $R_3$ 
 $R_1$ 
 $R_3$ 
 $R_3$ 
 $R_1$ 
 $R_3$ 

wherein R<sub>1</sub>, R<sub>7</sub> and R<sub>8</sub> are independently selected from the group consisting of H, halo, haloalkyl and hydroxy; and

R<sub>3</sub> is hydroxy or -OCONH<sub>2</sub>.

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The compound of claim wherein  $R_7$  and  $R_8$  are H;

R<sub>1</sub> is H or F; and

 $R_3$  is hydroxy or -OCONH<sub>2</sub>.

A method for treating a patient suffering from a neurological disorder, said method comprising the step of administering a composition comprising a compound represented by the formula

$$R_7$$
  $R_8$   $F$   $R_3$   $CCONH_2$ 

wherein  $R_7$ ,  $R_8$  and  $R_9$  are independently selected from the group consisting of H, halo, alkyl, haloalkyl and hydroxy; and

R<sub>3</sub> is hydroxy or -OCONH<sub>2</sub>.

7. The method of claim 6 wherein said compound has the general structure

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$$R_9$$
  $R_3$   $OCONH_2$ 

wherein R<sub>9</sub> is selected from the group consisting of H, halo, haloalkyl and hydroxy; and R<sub>3</sub> is hydroxy or -OCONH<sub>2</sub>.

- 8. The method of claim 7 wherein  $R_9$  is H or halo; and  $R_3$  is -OCONH<sub>2</sub>.
- 9. A method for preventing or limiting tissue damage resulting from an ischemic event, said method comprising the step of administering a composition comprising a compound selected from the group consisting of

$$R_9$$
 $R_8$ 
 $F$ 
 $R_3$ 
 $CONH_2$ 

wherein R<sub>7</sub>, R<sub>8</sub> and R<sub>9</sub> are independently selected from the group consisting of H, halo, alkyl, haloalkyl and hydroxy; and

 $R_3$  is hydroxy or -OCONH<sub>2</sub>.

10. The method of claim 9 wherein said compound has the general structure

$$R_9$$
 OCONH<sub>2</sub>

wherein R<sub>9</sub> is selected from the group consisting of H, halo, haloalkyl and hydroxy; and R<sub>3</sub> is hydroxy or -OCONH<sub>2</sub>.

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- 11. The method of claim 10 wherein  $R_9$  is H or halo; and  $R_3$  is -OSONH<sub>2</sub>.
- 12. The method of claim 9 wherein the tissue damage is caused by cerebral ischemia.
- 13. The method of claim 9 wherein the tissue damage is caused by myocardial ischemia.
- A pharmaceutical composition comprising a compound selected from the group consisting of

T,0380

$$R_9$$
 $R_8$ 
 $F$ 
 $R_3$ 
 $CCONH_2$ 

wherein R<sub>7</sub>, R<sub>8</sub> and R<sub>9</sub> are independently selected from the group consisting of H, halo, alkyl, haloalkyl and hydroxy;

R<sub>3</sub> is hydroxy or -OCONH<sub>2</sub>; and a pharmaceutically acceptable carrier.

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The composition of claim 14 wherein said compound has the general structure

T,0381

$$R_9$$
 $R_9$ 
 $R_3$ 
 $CONH_2$ 

wherein  $R_9$  is selected from the group consisting of H, halo, haloalkyl and hydroxy; and  $R_3$  is hydroxy or -OCONH<sub>2</sub>.

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The composition of claim 18 wherein R<sub>9</sub> is halo.

The composition of claim 1/5 wherein R<sub>9</sub> is H or F; and

 $R_3$  is -OCONH<sub>2</sub>.

The composition of claim wherein R<sub>9</sub> is H or F; and

R<sub>3</sub> is hydroxy.

<u>3</u> 19.

A compound having the general structure:

wherein R<sub>1</sub>, R<sub>7</sub>, R<sub>8</sub>, R<sub>9</sub> and R<sub>10</sub> are independently selected from the group consisting of H, halo, alkyl, haloalkyl, -NR<sub>5</sub>R<sub>6</sub>, hydroxy, and alkoxy;

 $R_2$  is F or Cl;

R<sub>3</sub> is hydroxy or -OCONH<sub>2</sub>; and

 $R_5$  and  $R_6$  are independently  $C_1$ - $C_4$  alkyl.

The compound of claim W wherein

R<sub>1</sub> and R<sub>7</sub> are independently selected from the group consisting of H, halo, alkyl, haloalkyl, and hydroxy;

R<sub>2</sub> is F;

R<sub>3</sub> is hydroxy or -OCONH<sub>2</sub>; and

 $R_8$ ,  $R_9$  and  $R_{10}$  are H.

Application No. 09/925,224 June 21, 2002 Page 21 The compound of claim 19 wherein R<sub>1</sub> and R<sub>8</sub> are independently selected from the group consisting of H, halo, alkyl, haloalkyl, and hydroxy; R<sub>2</sub> is F; R<sub>3</sub> is hydroxy or -OCONH<sub>2</sub>; and  $R_7$ ,  $R_9$  and  $R_{10}$  are H. The compound of claim wherein R<sub>1</sub> is selected from the group consisting of H, halo, alkyl, haloalkyl, and hydroxy; R<sub>2</sub> is F; R<sub>3</sub> is hydroxy or -OCONH<sub>2</sub>; and  $R_7$ ,  $R_8$ ,  $R_9$  and  $R_{10}$  are H. The compound of claim 22 wherein R<sub>1</sub> is selected from the group consisting of H, F, Cl, CF<sub>3</sub> and hydroxy. The compound of claim & wherein R<sub>1</sub> is F.

25. A pharmaceutical composition comprising the compound of claim 19 and a pharmaceutically acceptable carrier.

26. A pharmaceutical composition comprising the compound of claim 22 and a pharmaceutically acceptable carrier.

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27. A method for reducing the incidence and severity of an epileptic seizure in an individual, said method comprising the step of administering to said individual a compound represented by the general structure:

$$R_1$$
 $R_3$ 
 $R_1$ 
 $R_3$ 
 $R_1$ 
 $R_3$ 

wherein R<sub>1</sub>, R<sub>7</sub> and R<sub>8</sub> are independently selected from the group consisting of H, halo, alkyl, haloalkyl and hydroxy; and

R<sub>3</sub> is hydroxy or -QCONH<sub>2</sub>.

- 28. The method of claim 27 wherein  $R_1$  is H or F, and  $R_7$  and  $R_8$  are H.
- 29. The method of claim 28 wherein R<sub>3</sub> is -OCONH<sub>2</sub>.